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## EXPERT'S OPINION OF VIRGINIA HORSE SHOWS

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While it has been the pleasure of the writer to attend the local county horse shows in Virginia now for the last ten years, yet he was never more highly entertained by the local officials and exhibitors, nor better pleased with the classes of horses shown, than he was at the Pulaskit Horse Show, at Pulaskit City, Va., 28th and 29th of last August.
Every farmer for miles around had some of his horse entered, Many of, them had brood mares and colts in their class, also his driving horse (bugy horse) in the proper class, and especially the class for farm teams (where the farms were shown that the farm wagen), was so well filled that the ring—which is as large as most local show ring—tould just afford room for the teams to "line up."

Then came the class for defble teams in light harness, and this was the best filled class, of its kind that I have ever seen at a horse show anymen.—Especially the courting men—off that section of the county. They were, with the exception of two, I believe, local teams, with the owner driving the same team which he uses every sum man who knows a good bugy team when he sees one. But this is not all, these teams belonged to the young men—especially the ecurting men—off that section of the county. They were, with the exception of two, I believe, local teams, with the owner driving the same team which he uses every sum day to take his best girl to church—and the sweetheat; were in the grand, stand to see and cheer "her team" as it passed. Theed, this local enthusiasm was, from start to finish, a most attractive feature of the show. Nor was this with the young people alone; in the class for the best mare and feat—leavy draft, must be sired by a registered horse—there were fifteen good mares with their foals by their sides for powered gineer is a good dose, or powered gineer is a good dose.